POLICEMAN MURDERED ON HIS BEAT

James McGrath Shot

Down on Battery St.,

Burlington, Shortly

After 7 O'clock Last

Night.

Might.

Muder the skin. This bullet was extracted and was found to be of 38 calibre, the same calibre as used by the cavalry.

McGrath's beat lay in the region between Main and College streets, one of the darkest spots in the city. The entire police force was on the spot soon after the crime had been committed and ransacked every nook and corner for the assassin, but without avail. He is described by LeBarge as a man weighing about 145 pounds, with a dark mustache. He was dressed in dark clothes.

There is only reason apparently why policeman McGrath should be a target for a murderer, and that is that be arrested

HIS ASSAILANT

at McGrath.

from a window in his house, 20 Main street. mont shore. He says that he saw Metirath and a strange man walk up from the lumber iness and was well known in the city. He yard together about 7.20 o'clock. They was about 40 years of age, and leaves a came up the middle of Main street, and wife and three children. were engaged in conversation. When opposite Labarge's house, which is the second one below Battery street, they stopped and faced each other. Suddenly the stranger pulled a revolver from his pocket and directing it point black toward Mc-Grath, fired two shots.

Leeman staggered and attempted to walk clippings from Bridgeport, Conn., papers towards Richard's boat shop on the corthant maple syrup made in Barre is liked ner. The stranger started back about ten feet and fired at the unfortunate McGrath again. He then ran toward the lumber cake lunch at a restaurant to some eight of yard, and wheeling about took one last his associate working newspaper men. He He then disappeared in the lumber yard McGrath then fell never uttering a sound. The sound of the shots naturally attracted attention and very soon a large crowd as-sembled at the spot. The ambulance was "Like mother used to make.—John A. telephoned for, also Dr. McSweensy. Ev- L. Julian of the Evening Post reportorial erything possible was done for McGrath, staff had a consignment of real, pure maple but the murderer's aim had been too true syrup sent him from his former home and he died before reaching home.

Honse, almost opposite the point where newspaper friends to a feast of griddle the man fell, ran to the scene and realizeakes and maple syrup at the 'Horseshoe' ing the case was a desperate one returned lunch room. The dinner was greatly ento the house and telephoned to Dr. Mo-Sweeney, to polloe headquarters, for the ambulance and for a priest. Willing hackmen hastened after the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some. Dr. McSweeney, after exemple the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some. Dr. McSweeney, after exemple the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some. Dr. McSweeney, after exemple the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some the priest and physician and within a short time both were on the some time. amining the man's wounds, realized that

on the ground with the boat house as a where it was made by the man who re-background and a pile of lumber on the ceived first prize for it at the world's fair opposite side filled with people who had at Chicago. The cakes were especially opposite from the surrounding neighbor-delicious and all present expressed themhood. At the head of the dying man knelt a woman of the neighborhood with prayer beads in her hands reciting the rosary and nearly half of the crowd in a kneeling position repeating the responses. the center of the crowd stood Father Gillis of the Cathedral administering the last rites of the church, with Dr. McSweeney at his side. The ambulance soon arrived and started for the officer's home, 187 No. few minutes without regaining conscious-

Mr. McGrath died somewhere between \$15 watch. Main and Bank streets on Champiain McSweeney and three bullet holes were job was in a certain store when Beauch found. The one which evidently proved min went to do some trading. He asked of the left arm two inches and remaining the watch has not been recovered.

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a murderer, and that is that he arrested two men in the callroad yard about 1 o'clock yesterday morning, thinking they might be two of the many deserters from Fort Ethan Allee: They were about to board a freight car when taken. They claimed they were not soldiers and gave their names as John Wilson and Richard Murpuy. They were placed in jail for safe keeping.

Officer Was Probably
Arresting the Man Who
Is Thought to Be a Description from Fort Ethan
Allen.

London, May 13.—A despatch to the Related Telegram company from Tokio asystem of Japanese to the Japanese to Take Japanese Ta

wounded at 7.20 o'clock last evening at the corner of Main and Battery streets. The man who committed the murder immediately after ran down to the lumber yard. McGrath was taken to his home but died on the way there.

A man was arrested last night at Basin Harbor as the suspected murderer, and was brought here this morning by Officer Dillon of Vergennes. Fred Torence of Jay, N. Y., an insurance agent, who left here on the 7.30 train, about the time of the murder last night, was released.

The man arrested at Vergennes in a freight car early today says his name is

Williams' stories conflict. the murder. At the dock the dog lost the air. The unfortunate toreador was terri-He was identified by the witness of the scent and could not find it again. It was bly mangled, and life was trampled out of deed as the right man and will be held.

There was one eye witness to the crime, man had taken the boat and gone to the the accident. Women fainted and men Joachin Labarge, who saw every detail New York shore or skirted along the Ver- rushed from the exit. A number of per-

McGrath was formerly in the meat bus

BARRE MAPLE SYRUP,

Served on Griddle Cakes at a Pridgeport, Conn., Mewspapermen's Lunch.

two feet from McGrath's chest. The po-leeman staggered and attempted to walk olippings from Bridgerest. Com-towards Richard's host strongered and attempted to walk olippings from Bridgerest. Other people than those living in Verdown there. On Tuesday noon J. A. L. Julian, formerly of Barre, gave a griddle shot which is supposed to have gone wild. | served with the cakes some maple symp he had sent him from Barre. Here is what City editor McGovern of the Bridgeport, Evening Farmer, the leading Demo-

staff had a consignment of real, pure maple mongst the green hills of Vermont, and George LeClair, a clerk at the Russell this noon he treated a large number of cakes and maple syrup at the 'Horseshoe' joyed.

mont maple syrup yesterday noon at The Then it was that a scene which is seldom witnessed on the streets of this city and was pronounced the 'best ever,'it havtook place. The wounded man was lying ing come from Barre, the Granite City, selves as highly pleased with the lunch.

PARTED WITH HIS WATCH.

Shelburne Man and His Chronometer Be-

come Separated in Burlington. Burlington, May 18 .- Charles Beauchemia, who owns a little farm in Sheiburne whereon gold was discovered a few years Champlain street, but the man died in a ago, the mining of which has not been pushed owing to lack of funds by Mr. leauchemin, is mourning the loss of his

He claims some one picked his pocket street, while on his way home in the am- and the first he knew of the loss was feel-An examination was made at log the chain dangling at his walstcoat. the house by Drs. F. E. Clark and P. E. He said the man who he thinks did the fatal was the one which entered about two this man into a back room to have a drink inches below the right nipple and one-hulf and when he came out out the man bade inches oesow the region of the body, him good bye and went away. He made play the Northfield high school team on In the seventh Scott fanned and Davis passing down obliquely about the middle known his loss to a passing policeman but Goddard campus tomorrow afternoon at went out on fly to Stuart. Hull got first

WAR VESSEL DESTROYED

Torpedo Boat 48 Was Dsstroyed and Score of Yesterday's One-sided Contest Seven Were Killed and Seven Injured.

Montreal, passed through here last evening for New York. As a matter of fact he jumped a freight at Shelburne.

At a late hour in the evening a blood hound owned by A. C. Lowell, a special polloeman, was taken to the scene of the murder and placed on the trail. He took the scene of the car, four chambers of which were empty, corresponding to shots ared at MoGrath. Williams' stories conflict.

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FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Representative Hitt of Illinois Mentloued.

dential boom of Representative Hitt of Goddard Blake singled over second and Illinois seems to be growing rapidly. It Pike bunted to the pitcher who threw wild is understood that President Roossvelt is to second trying to eateh Blake and both more anxious about the result in Illinois were safe. Each moved around one base than in any other state in the west, and on a passed ball by the catcher. Clark hit

Delegates - at - Large Instructed Him.

Springfield, Mass., May 13.—The Illinspeaker Cannon and Gov. Yates delegates at large to the national convention, and they are instructed for Roosevelt.

hit by the ball, took first and stone second. Turner fanned, closing the linking. Score to 1 in Goddard's favor.

\$50,000 FOR THE UNIVERSITY,

Generous Contribution of E. N. Poss to Centennial Fund.

Barlington, May 13.—Eugene N. Foss catcher. Stuart got first on a grounder to of Boston has pledged \$50,000 towards the University of Vermont million dollar central control of the contro tennial fund, by promising to give \$5,000 first. Score 7 to 1, for Goddard.

JUMPED TO DEATH.

Lake Erie.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 13.—A man named Snell, said to be a New York city broker of considerable wealth, jumped from the steamer City of Erie, while it was on its passage from Cleveland last night and was

GRAPHITE MINE OPENED.

Property at Bread Louf Leased to New York Parties.

Rutland, May 12 .- Prank Fitts has at third. found graphite in paying quantities on his farm at Bread Loaf in Ripton and has leased the same to New York state parties for 99 years. The latter are now at work Wells walked. Huntington farmed and Description of the Ripton for th opening a mine.

Base Bail Game Temorrow

The Spaulding high base ball team will and Seaver scored. Blake fanned.

NO TROUBLE TO WIN GAME

Japan's First Big Loss Goddard Overwhelmed Montpelier.

MINES LATTER NEVER IN GAME

Was 10 to 3-Second Game May 30.

found its way to the ground for very un-

BOND ISSUE AUTHORIZED.

Bond issue Authorized.

Bussian Government Preparing For Sinews Of War.

St. Petersburg, May 13.—An imperial ukase issued today authorizes the issue of a five per cent foreign placed loan of 800,000,000 france, redeemable in 1909.

LIFE TRAMPLED OUT.

Spapish Bull-fighter Met Terrible Death

Life on another passed ball. Seaver on a single was landed on pretty hard. Four singles were pounded out by Goddard in the second luning, one being stretched to a four bagger through an error of the center fielder who let a hot grounder from Fraser's bat slip between his feet and roll over the bank. Before it was finally guthered by the fifth score in that inning.

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The man arrested at Vergennes in a freight car early today says his name is John Thompson, a trump, on route from Montreal. He were soldier's shoes and his shirt answered fairly well the description of the witness to the deed. A revolver was found in the car. The hearing is now on.

The suspect arrested at Vergennes in Fort Ethan Allen, Wednesday, went to Montreal, passed through here last even—Montreal, passed through the man who is supposed to have been McGrath's prisoner run down through the silp. A short time after the watchman saw a boat pull away from the shore and disappear to ward the breakwater. Watchman Lavales description of the man tables with that of Mr Labarge except as to height, he claiming that the man was tall. He also elaims the man wore a soft hat.

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Berry was the first man on Goddard's batting order and he lauded a pretty single over second base and stole second. Fraser flied out to center. Seaver went out on a grounder to short and Berry got third. Turner was hit by the ball and got first. Butler fanned. Score 1 to 0, in favor of Montpeller.

Second insing. Bogers flied out to Ber-y. Wells fanned. Huntington was given a base on balls and Drenan got two bases on a single to Blake who made an unsuo cessful attempt to throw Huntington out Washington, May 18 .- The vice paesi- at third. Scott filed out to Turner. For

he has therefore welcomed the suggestion a grounder to short who threw home but the catcher dropped the ball and Blake enthusiasm.

ILLINOIS FOR ROOSEVELT.

On a passed ball by the catcher. Cars in the catcher dropped the ball and Blake scored. Pike went to second.

Stuart struck out but the catcher dropped the ball on the third strike and the second struck out but the catcher dropped the ball on the third strike and the second struck out by the catcher. threw the ball to first putting out Stnart, but Pike secred on the low attempt for a double. The catcher let Barry's third strike go by him and Clark scored. Berry stole second and came home on Fraser's ols Republican state convention today hit though the center fielder. Seaver was chose Senators Cullom and Hopkins. hit by the ball, took first and store second.

out on a fly to Berry. Hull and Batchelder both fanned. Butler went out on a fly to second. Blake fanned. Pike got a base on balls. Clark hit a grounder to

of each \$100,000 raised.

Mr. Fosa, who is a native of West Berkshire, entered the university from St. Albans in the class of 1881, but did not graduate.

Hall. Score 1 to 1, for Goddard.

Fourth Inning. Baldwin singled between short and third. Rogers hit to left and Baldwin went to third. Wells got first on a grounder to pitcher who threw Baldwin out at plate. Huntington singled between short and the state of the sta gled over second and Rogers scored. Wells went to third and scored on a wild throw New York Broker Committed Suicide In fanned. For Goddard: Fraser out on a fly to center. Seaver was bit by a ball and stole second. Turner put a two bag-ger over the left field fence scoring Seaver. Butler and Blake fanned. Score 8 to 3.

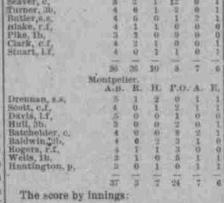
At the opening of the fifth inning Davis struck out and Hull went out on a grounder to pitcher. Batchelder sent a grounder to Berry and was out. Pike fanned and Clark got first on a fumble of his grounder by third baseman. Stuart got first on a grounder to third who threw Clark out at second. Berry flied to the centerfielder who dropped the ball but threw Stuart out

Baldwin singled over third in the sixth Drenan went out on a grounder to Butler. Fraser lifted a fly to left. Seaver got two bases on a fly to right. Turner was out on a fly to third. Butler singled by short on an error to Stuart. Batchelder flied

out to Pike who in turn flied out to right. Clark went out on a grounder to Huntington and Stuart fanned.

Montpeller was easily disposed of in the eighth minog. Baldwin was out on a grounder to Fraser and Rogers did the same, while Wells fanned. Berry singled over third. Fraser sent a grounder to over third. Fraser sent a grounder to pitcher who threw over first and Berry scored while Fraser was being caught between first and second. Seaver went out on a fly to right. Turner reached first on a grounder tosecond and stole second. The catcher threw the ball over second baseman and Turner tried to get third but was caught. That was the end of the sooring. Montpeller's attempt in the ninth inning was futile. Huntington out on grounder to Berry, Drennan singled over short and Scott singled to left. Davis fanned and

Goddard.



Hull went out on grounder to Fraser. Summary.—Struck out by Fraser 11, by Huntington 9; bases on balls, off Fraser 2, off Huntington 1; two base hits Seaver, Turner; home run, Fraser. Umpire Frank Brown. Time 1.40.

FOUR HOME RUNS.

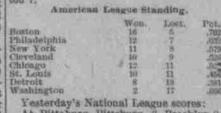
University of Vermont Batters Had Merry Time,

Huttington did the twirling of the ball littcher Campbell were the features of Spaniards, while they were attacked by the U.S. troops were attacked by the Huttington did the twirling of the ball littcher Campbell were the features of Spaniards, while they were in bathing for Montpeller and did quite effective work in striking out 10 men, though at times he was landed on pretty hard. Four and Colgate university teams. The score fought the Spaniards and defeated them.

LEAGUE BASE BALL.

Hard. Yesterday's American League scores: At Hoston, Boston 3, Detroit 1. At New York, Cleveland 7, New York 0.

At Washington, St. Louis 8, Washing-



At Pittsburg, Pittsburg 6, Brooklyn 0, At St. Louis, St. Lauis 2, Boston 1, At Chicago, Chicago 4 Philadelphia 0, At Cinciunati, Cinciunati 13, New York

National League Standing.

CENTRAL VERMONT SUED.

Widows of William Manchester and Martin Carland Sue for Damages.

St Albans, May 13 -Two suits have been brought against the Central Vermont Railway Co., the damage in each case being set at \$20,000. The suits are brought base on balls. Clark hit a grounder to short stop who fumbled it. Pike went to Anna Manchester and four minor children. third and scored on a passed ball by the and Mrs. Amanda Garland and three miner children. The actions are to recover damages on account of the deaths of William Manchester, busband of Mrs. Anna Manchester, and Martin Garland, husband of Mrs. Amanda Garland, caused by a railway wreck at West Berlin, March 8.

> Notice To Shop Stewards. Journals have come and shop stewards in calling for them are requested to bring their books.
>
> Alex Robertson.

WHO IS YOUR FAVORITE?

Standing of Candidates in Times' World's Contest. Claus 2. Mrs. Laura Wescott, Barre, 1442

Miss Flora Vincent, Barre, 406

Cines 2. James Wark, Graniteville, 6468 Mrs. M. L. Town, Barre town, 6007 G. H. Adams, So. Barre. Geo. A. Wales, So. Barre, Mrs. J. H. MoArthur, E. Barre, 29

Class 3. A. J. Bilodeau, Granitaville 1636 Jas. Lord, Orange, 1611 Earneat Seaver, Washington, 1200 R. R. Ladlow, Boltonville, 389 G. H. Hight, W. Topsham, 200

Class 4. Henry Wescott, Montpeller, 1056 B. C. Alexander, Berlin, Charles Dudley, East Mtpr., 115 Mrs. J. Burton Pike, Marshtield.

WAR HERO'S SAD END

HANGED IN A JAIL CELL

Former Barre Man Was Cutting Stone at San Diego, Cal., When Arrested.

James Houlahan, who left Barre a short time ago, committed suicide in the San Diego, Cal., jail a few evenings since. The details have just been received in this city. Houlahan who was a member of the G. C.

A Los Angeles paper says that Houlahan was in good standing with the union and that he was known as an efficient workman. "He left no relatives in Los Angeles as far as is known. His home was in Barre, Vt. The man was about 35 years of age."

Houlahan was a member of the United Burlington, May 13.—Two home rons Spain, and saw actual fighting in Cuba. for Pitcher Campbell, two home runs for He was in the fight at Guantanamo, when Houlahan returned from the war in poor health and was placed in a Massachusetts hospital, where his life was despaired of for a time. He recovered and came to Bar-re, remaining here a short time.

SUCCESSFUL OPENING.

Montpeller Country Club Had Many Visitors Yesterday.

Montpelier, May 13.—The beautiful weather of yesterday and the attractions of the place led to a very large acceptance of the invitations issued to the formal opening of the season at the Montpelier Country Club. Mrs. J. S. Viles was in charge of the entertainment committee. She was ably assisted by Mrs. C. H. Baldwin, Mrs. M. F. Atkins, Mrs. C. M. Heaton, Mrs. H. M. Cutler, Miss M. D. White, J. G. Brown and C. F. Lowe. The gold course was in fine condition and was filled with players as long as daylight lasted. Resreshments were served during the af-At Philadelphia, Philadelphia, 9, Chi- Regreshments were served during the afternoon and evening, and music was fur-

nished by Wilder's orchestra. The winner of the tournament was O. D. Clark, whose gross score was 69 and net score 45.

COUNTY COURT COST \$4,289.10.

The Various Items of Expense in Washington County Justice.

Montpelier, May12 -State Auditor H. F. Graham was here yesterday and audit-ed the accounts of County Clerk M. E. Smille. Washington county court was in session 60 days and the jurors were in attendance 44 days. The total cost of the session was \$4,289.10 of which the jurors received \$2,096.19, the witnesses \$824.02, the referees \$300.04, the recorder \$504.05 and the county judges \$874.80.

FRONTINI DISCHARGED.

State Did Not Present Sufficient Testimony To Hold Him.

Joseph Frontini, who was arrested a few days ago on the charge of assault with intent to commit rape on the six-year-old daughter of Mrs. Frattini, was given a hearing this forenoon and was discharged. Only two witnesses were heard, Dr. J. S. Desiel and Mrs. Frattini, after which the attorney for the respondent, R. A. Hoar, asked that his client be discharged on account of the insufficiency of evidence, which the court did.

LADIES MUCH FRIGHTENED.

Electric Car Went Off Track and Smushed Windows.

Car No. 20 of the electric railroad, leaving Barre at 8.45 o'clock, ran off the track at the Marvin farm and dug into an embankment. Three ladies, the only passengers on the car, were not injured but but were greatly frightened by the shock. Three windows were shattered but otherwise the car was not damaged.

MANUFACTURERS MEETING.

Granite Association Called to Meet, Saturday Evening-

There will be a meeting of the Barra Granite Manufacturers Association Saturday evening at 7.80. All members are earnestly requested to be present. James Campbell, Sec.

Central Labor Union

The next regular meeting of the Central Labor Union of Barre and vicinity will be held in Carpenters' hall, Nichols block, on Friday evening, May 18th, at 7.30 o'clock. important business will come up for disoussion so let every delegate be present.

D. A. Cook, president,

We will be honest with both buyer and seller. City Auction Rooms.

Alex Ironside, Secretary.